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House Resolution 877

By: Representative Dobbs of the 53rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating the Lovett High School girls cross country team on winning their fourth
- 2 consecutive GHSA Class AA State Championship; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the Lovett High School girls cross country team has secured a reputation for
- 4 greatness in scholastic and athletic achievements; and
- 5 WHEREAS, on November 8, 2008, the superlative team completed another ultrasuccessful
- 6 season to earn the top ranking in the State of Georgia with the 2008 GHSA Class AA State
- 7 Championship title; and
- 8 WHEREAS, this title-earning victory marks the 14th time in the school's history the girls
- 9 cross country team has brought home the state trophy; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Lovett had six runners finish in the top 20 during the championship race and
- 11 with three juniors placing in the top ten, the school is slated for another great season next
- 12 year; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the team's spectacular season reflects the astute guidance and direction of Head
- 14 Coach Jimmy Jewell and assistant coaches Ken Rau, Ed Billinglea, Colleen Bailey, and
- 15 Michelle Murphy; and
- 16 WHEREAS, amazing performances at the state finals were made by Elizabeth Rucker,
- 17 Meredith Thornhill, Alexandra Horst, Maddie Martin, Ellie Boydston, Blair Beskin, and
- 18 Addie Schoen; and
- 19 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by
- 20 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
- 21 abundantly proper to call them champions.

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22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 23 the members of this body congratulate the Lovett High School girls cross country team for
- 24 winning the 2008 GHSA Class AA State Championship and extend their sincerest best
- 25 wishes for future success.
- 26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Head Coach Jimmy Jewell.